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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor: Ram Krishna Rastogi }  
Serial No.: 09/687,045 }  
Filed: 10/13/2000 }  
Title: PRODUCTS OF AND METHOD FOR }  
FORMING LARGER SHRIMP, }  
SEAFOOD, MEAT, AND OTHER }  
PRODUCTS FROM PLURAL SMALLER }  
PRODUCTS }

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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed 03/06/2003 in relation to the above-identified application. The Applicant respectfully requests that the Office amend the present application as follows:

- As specified in the **Amendments to the Claims** beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Applicant's **Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.